

Town of Empire 30 East Park Avenue PO Box 100 Empire, CO 80438



# LOCAL POSTAL CUSTOMER

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Office Hours:

Saturday & Sunday

 Monday
 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM

 Tuesday
 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM

 Wednesday
 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM

 Thursday
 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM

 Friday
 CLOSED except by appointment

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Empire Police Chief: Chief@EmpireColorado.us Empire Police Department: Non-Emergency Dispatch: Website: EmpireColorado.us

Empire Town Hall: Clerk@EmpireColorado.us

Empire Mayor: Mayor@EmpireColorado.us

303-569-2978 303-994-7682 303-257-1422 303-569-2281 303-679-2394

## EMPIRE OCTOBER 2022 NEWSLETTER

Stay connected with your Empire community on Facebook:

\* Town of Empire \* Empire Police Department \*

Empire Board of Trustees hold their regularly scheduled Board of Trustee meetings on the Third Tuesday of every month at 6:30 pm at Town Hall Empire Planning Commission hold their regularly scheduled Planning Commission Meetings on the Last Wednesday of every month at 6:30 pm at Town Hall

#### **UPCOMING TOWN MEETINGS:**

The Town of Empire is holding hybrid meetings where the Board of Trustees and the public can be present at Town Hall but can also attend and make comments remotely. Everyone is welcome to tune in.

\* Board of Trustees Regular Meeting ~ Tuesday Oct 18, 2022 6:30 PM

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85135639982?pwd=cnZMOHMrRDhsa3lZMDFEaVIDOFJhZz09

Meeting ID: 851 3563 9982 Passcode: 071697

The AGENDA will be posted on the website, the door of Town Hall, and the Post Office Bulletin Board 24 hours prior to the meeting

Special presentation from Clear Creek County Tourism Board Director, Cassandra Patton

\* Planning Commission Regular Meeting ~ Wednesday Oct 26, 2022 6:30 PM

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86320079322?pwd=MIFBVkxwYnBZYkRhN3VieUswUStzQT09

Meeting ID: 863 2007 9322 Passcode: 894916

The AGENDA will be posted on the website, the door of Town Hall, and the Post Office Bulletin Board 24

hours prior to the meeting

#### **BE BEAR AWARE!**

Please do not leave food out for any wildlife, this will attract bears to our houses. It is dangerous if a bear gets accustomed to being close to people, not only for the people, but also for the bear.

**Protect Our Wildlife—Keep Empire Clean**. Please don't put trash out until your trash day, and if you see trash on the ground, please put it in one of our public trash cans.

#### **CURRENT OFFICE HOURS:**

The administrative office will be open from 8 am until 12 pm, Monday through Thursday, and closed Friday through Sunday.

Please email the Clerk if you need an appointment during the weekday when the office is closed, and we will make arrangements for you.

#### TOWN EVENTS CALENDAR:

Oct. 21 Friday Turn in Scarecrow Sign-up Form to Town Hall.

Oct. 22 Saturday Bring Scarecrow to Theobald Parking Lot for installation.

Oct. 29 Saturday Trick or Trunk in Theobald Park 4-5 pm, Chili Cookoff in Town Hall 5-7 pm.

#### SAVE THE DATE:

Dec. 10 Saturday Empire Christmas Celebration—put it on your calendar so you don't forget!

Board of Trustees: Mayor Wendy Koch, Mayor Pro-Tem Linda Robertson, Denise Tennant, Susan Owen, Shannon Hickman, Lorray Singmaster Planning Commission: Chair Sally Rush, Wendy Koch, Denise Tennant, Tony Robertson, Eileen Wheelock Administration Department: Town Clerk Jeannette Piel, Jennifer Boswell, Lisa Kunze

Public Works Department: Supervisor Paul Whillock, Kevin Luce, Bob Wise

Police Department: Chief John Stein, Deputy Chief Andrew Lorenz

# HAPPY HALLOWEEN

Bring your best Scarecrow to line Park Avenue and compete for prizes. Then come join us Saturday, October 29<sup>th</sup>, for the Empire Trunk or Treat in Theobald Park from 4-5 pm, followed by the Chili Cookoff in Town Hall from 5-7 pm. Residents must be present at the Chili Cookoff to vote for Chili & Scarecrows; Winners of the Chili Cookoff and the Best Scarecrow will be announced that evening with prizes awarded for each contest: 1<sup>st</sup> place \$50.00; 2<sup>nd</sup> place \$25.00; 3<sup>rd</sup> place \$10.00

Scarecrow Guidelines:

Sign-up form, please turn into Town Hall by Friday, October 21st.

Bring Scarecrows to Theobald Parking Lot from <u>noon – 4 pm on Saturday</u>, <u>October 22<sup>nd</sup></u>, and the Public Works Crew will be assisting you in attaching your Scarecrows to certain areas of Fencing along Park Avenue.

Family Oriented Theme & No Political Statements.

The Town reserves the right to refuse any entries that are not appropriate.

Maximum size is 5 ft high x 5 ft wide.

Contest winners will be announced at the Chili Cookoff.

You are responsible for taking down your Scarecrow after the event.



### SCARECROW SIGN-UP FORM: Please turn into Town Hall by Friday, October 21st

Or email your name and phone number to Clerk@EmpireColorado.us

Name:	 	
Phone #:	 	

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